

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraphs at page 2, line 2, through page 3, line 1, with the following new paragraphs:

According to the present invention, the foregoing objects are achieved by means of a print control apparatus for printing a plurality of images, and comprising print size designation means for designating a print size for each of the plurality of images to be printed, and sheet size designation means for designating a sheet size on which an image to be printed is printed. Print image number designation means designate a number of images to be printed on a page, and control means control execution of a print by reducing each of the print sizes designated by the print size designation means, in a case where no image can be printed on a page for the sheet designated by the sheet size designation means while maintaining the print size designated by the print designation means. In addition, in a case where the number of images that can be printed on the sheet is less than the number of images designated by the print image number designation means and at least one or more of the images can be printed on a separate page, the control means control an execution of printing by reducing a number of images that are allowed in one page with the print size designated by the print size designation means.

In another aspect, the invention is a print control method of printing a plurality of images, comprising the steps of designating a print size for each of the plurality of images to be printed, designating a sheet size on which an image to be printed is printed, designating a number of images to be printed on a page, and controlling execution of a print by reducing each of the print sizes designated in the step of designating a print size, in a case where no image can be printed on a page for the sheet designated in the step of

designating a sheet size while maintaining the print size designated in the step of designating a print size. In addition, in a case where the number of images that can be printed on the sheet is less than the number of images designated in the step of designating a number of images and at least one or more of the images can be printed on a separate page, an execution of printing is controlled by reducing a number of images that are allowed in one page with the print size designated in the step of designating a print size in the step of controlling execution of a print.

In still another aspect, the present invention is a computer-readable medium storing a program executing the steps of designating a print size for each of the plurality of images to be printed, designating a sheet size on which an image to be printed is printed, designating a number of images to be printed on a page, and controlling execution of a print by reducing each of the print sizes designated in the step of designating a print size, in a case where no image can be printed on a page for the sheet designated in the step of designating a sheet size while maintaining the print size designated in the step of designating a print size. In addition, in a case where the number of images that can be printed on the sheet is less than the number of images designated in the step of designating a number of images and at least one or more of the images can be printed on a separate page, an execution of printing is controlled by reducing a number of images that are allowed in one page with the print size designated in the step of designating a print size in the step of controlling execution of a print.

IN THE DRAWING

Please substitute the enclosed replacement sheet for the corresponding original drawing sheet (bearing Fig. 2).